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Table 1: Economy

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	122	161	173	179	151
Unemployment rate	%	3.2	3.9	4.4	4.3	3.5
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	852	903	987	1 032	-
Taxable individuals	no.	3 325	3 495	3 694	3 876	-
Taxable income	$m	120.9	133.7	146.3	159.3	-
Average taxable income	$	36 368	38 242	39 613	41 106	-
Net tax	$m	27.1	31.3	34.3	37.1	-
Average net tax	$	8 144	8 947	9 284	9 584	-
Average net tax ratio	%	22.4	23.4	23.4	23.3	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS * - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	2 875	3 041	3 276	3 446	-
Wage and salary income	$m	95.0	104.6	118.4	132.1	-
Total income	$m	99.0	108.6	123.3	135.7	-
Average wage and salary income	$	33 048	34 390	36 140	38 330	-
Average total income	$	34 422	35 695	37 631	39 381	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX * - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	271	277	305	304	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	377	372	390	411	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	431	479	498	538	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	382	409	437	424	-
Males - 55 years and over	no.	177	201	233	262	-
Males - Total	no.	1 638	1 738	1 863	1 939	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	223	227	244	272	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	276	289	317	319	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	331	359	379	400	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	322	324	349	368	-
Females - 55 years and over	no.	85	105	125	148	-
Females - Total	no.	1 237	1 304	1 414	1 507	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	494	504	549	576	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	653	661	707	730	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	762	838	877	938	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	704	733	786	792	-
Persons - 55 years and over	no.	262	306	358	410	-
Persons - Total	no.	2 875	3 042	3 277	3 446	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION * - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	-	256	293	302	-
Professionals	no.	-	446	445	462	-
Associate Professionals	no.	-	149	148	162	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	no.	-	481	520	554	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	-	66	69	58	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	438	477	525	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no.	-	309	317	332	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	266	282	290	-
Labourers and Related Workers	no.	-	439	437	453	-
Not Stated	no.	-	259	290	304	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	-	3 109	3 278	3 442	-
PERSONS WITH OWN UNINCORPORATED BUSINESS * - year ended 30 June						
Males						
Males with own unincorporated business	no.	367	370	334	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	13.1	15.6	10.4	-	-
Total income	$m	13.8	15.4	11.1	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	35 639	42 207	31 088	-	-
Average total income	$	37 515	41 677	33 244	-	-
Females						
Females with own unincorporated business	no.	243	221	211	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	6.9	7.9	6.1	-	-
Total income	$m	7.5	7.8	6.7	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	28 324	35 817	28 917	-	-
Average total income	$	31 043	35 249	31 751	-	-
Persons						
Persons with own unincorporated business	no.	610	591	545	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	20.0	23.5	16.5	-	-
Total income	$m	21.3	23.2	17.8	-	-

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Average own unincorporated business income	$	32 725	39 817	30 247	-	-
Average total income	$	34 937	39 273	32 666	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESS ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	609	594	588	579
Employing businesses: 1 to 4 employees	no.	-	144	171	189	216
Employing businesses: 5 or more employees	no.	-	87	99	114	108
Total businesses	no.	-	840	864	891	903
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	93	87	69
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	27	57	36
Total business entries	no.	-	-	120	144	105
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	111	114	63
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	15	9	27
Total business exits	no.	-	-	126	123	90
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	-	354	366	378	366
Mining	no.	-	0	0	0	0
Manufacturing	no.	-	33	33	33	27
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	-	3	3	3	3
Construction	no.	-	120	138	129	129
Wholesale trade	no.	-	21	18	21	24
Retail trade	no.	-	69	78	90	87
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no.	-	3	3	3	3
Transport and storage	no.	-	48	48	42	54
Communication services	no.	-	3	3	3	9
Finance and insurance	no.	-	18	12	18	21
Property and business services	no.	-	114	105	120	120
Education	no.	-	3	6	6	6
Health and community services	no.	-	15	15	12	15
Cultural and recreational services	no.	-	18	21	18	21
Personal and other services	no.	-	18	15	15	18
Total businesses	no.	-	840	864	891	903

* These data relate to persons for whom this source of income was their principal source of income for the relevant financial year

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		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June						
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	296	321	340	347	342
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	336	352	372	389	418
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	338	351	380	423	439
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	289	283	284	294	311
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	197	223	229	217	202
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	170	159	157	172	190
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	262	271	291	318	302
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	298	316	350	371	389
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	349	368	365	386	403
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	340	345	361	365	364
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	338	357	375	373	390
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	264	293	307	343	346
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	196	204	227	250	264
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	138	148	156	169	181
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	92	96	102	97	110
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	61	67	69	78	82
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	45	41	37	34	34
Males - 85 years and over	no.	21	20	25	27	27
Males - Total	no.	4 030	4 215	4 427	4 653	4 794
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	263	289	316	339	346
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	294	316	338	360	384
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	322	312	325	343	350
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	274	276	267	274	298
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	149	158	177	187	180
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	170	189	200	193	208
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	289	292	302	329	305
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	349	359	373	377	389
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	350	370	383	407	437
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	336	341	357	364	364
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	288	305	320	349	358
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	244	270	292	303	318
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	179	188	199	214	231
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	99	107	126	134	145
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	87	90	92	95	97
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	62	68	67	65	63
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	37	38	39	45	47
Females - 85 years and over	no.	23	25	23	23	24
Females - Total	no.	3 815	3 993	4 196	4 401	4 544
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	559	610	656	686	688
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	630	668	710	749	802
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	660	663	705	766	789
Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	563	559	551	568	609
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	346	381	406	404	382
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	340	348	357	365	398
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	551	563	593	647	607
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	647	675	723	748	778
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	699	738	748	793	840
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	676	686	718	729	728
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	626	662	695	722	748
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	508	563	599	646	664
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	375	392	426	464	495
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	237	255	282	303	326
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	179	186	194	192	207
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	123	135	136	143	145
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	82	79	76	79	81
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	44	45	48	50	51
Persons - Total	no.	7 845	8 208	8 623	9 054	9 338
POPULATION DENSITY - at 30 June						
Population density	persons/km^2	-	-	-	-	5.6
INDIGENOUS POPULATION - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population	%	-	-	-	-	0.5
OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006						
Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-	-	-	0.9
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-	-	-	7.9
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-	-	-	1.9
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.3
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.1
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Born in Americas	%	-	-	-	-	0.2
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-	-	-	0.2

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Total born overseas	%	-	-	-	-	11.5
SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population aged 15 years and over	%	-	-	-	-	3.3
LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-	-	-	1.1
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	1.6
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-	-	-	7.7
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-	-	-	7.1
Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	22.0
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	9.9
Total with qualifications	%	-	-	-	-	49.5
OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006						
Managers	%	-	-	-	-	17.2
Professionals	%	-	-	-	-	13.2
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-	-	-	18.5
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-	-	-	7.8
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-	-	-	11.7
Sales Workers	%	-	-	-	-	8.1
Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-	-	-	9.0
Labourers	%	-	-	-	-	12.9
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	1.6
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Lone person households	no.	-	-	-	-	466
Group households	no.	-	-	-	-	41
Family households	no.	-	-	-	-	2 508
Total households	no.	-	-	-	-	3 013
FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	1 129
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	215
Couple families without children	no.	-	-	-	-	961
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	155
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	63
Other families	no.	-	-	-	-	18
Total families	no.	-	-	-	-	2 541
INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006						
Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	7 722
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	855
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	4 852
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	2 760
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006						
Major Cities	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Inner Regional	%	-	-	-	-	100.0
Outer Regional	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Very Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006						
Major Urban	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Other Urban	%	-	-	-	-	39.1
Bounded Locality	%	-	-	-	-	19.3
Rural Balance	%	-	-	-	-	41.6
UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-	-	-	26.4
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	28.0
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	8.3
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	1.5
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-	-	-	12.6
ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006						
Broadband connection	%	-	-	-	-	34.6
Dial-up connection	%	-	-	-	-	31.5
Other connection	%	-	-	-	-	0.6
Total internet connections	%	-	-	-	-	66.7
BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December						
Births	no.	107	120	116	117	126
Total fertility rate	rate	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3
Deaths	no.	34	28	33	37	38

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Standardised death rate	rate	6.9	5.9	5.6	5.5	5.9
REPORTED CRIME OFFENCES - Year ended 30 June						
Number of Offences						
Offences against the person	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Offences against property	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Drug offences	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Other offences	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
All offences	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Rate per 100,000 population						
Offences against the person	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Offences against property	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Drug offences	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Other offences	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
All offences	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
LIFE EXPECTANCY AT BIRTH - year ended 31 December						
Males	years	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-
Females	years	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-

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Table 3: Industry

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June						
Private sector houses	no.	100	171	167	136	105
Total dwelling units	no.	100	171	170	138	105
Value of total residential building	$m	15.4	30.4	33.0	31.4	23.5
Value of total non-residential building	$m	1.0	1.9	2.1	6.7	2.8
Value of total building	$m	16.4	32.3	35.1	38.1	26.4
NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES - year ended 30 June						
Passenger vehicles	no.	124	129	149	155	157
Other vehicles	no.	140	130	174	209	211
Total new motor vehicle sales	no.	263	259	323	363	368
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March						
Number by type of vehicle						
Passenger vehicles	no.	4 130	4 320	4 571	4 842	5 032
Campervans	no.	10	10	11	21	24
Light commercial vehicles	no.	1 530	1 622	1 702	1 793	1 874
Light rigid trucks	no.	38	41	43	47	55
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	303	305	307	334	336
Articulated trucks	no.	55	60	67	69	75
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	22	14	16	17	16
Buses	no.	24	26	23	26	29
Motorcycles	no.	267	244	258	290	307
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	6 380	6 642	6 998	7 439	7 749
Number per 1,000 population						
Passenger vehicles	no.	526	526	530	535	539
Campervans	no.	1	1	1	2	3
Light commercial vehicles	no.	195	198	197	198	201
Light rigid trucks	no.	5	5	5	5	6
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	39	37	36	37	36
Articulated trucks	no.	7	7	8	8	8
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	3	2	2	2	2
Buses	no.	3	3	3	3	3
Motorcycles	no.	34	30	30	32	33
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	813	809	812	822	830
Number by type of fuel						
Petrol - Leaded	no.	1 780	1 614	1 460	1 293	1 143
Petrol - Unleaded	no.	3 343	3 658	4 070	4 530	4 865
Diesel	no.	695	793	878	1 011	1 119
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	562	577	590	605	622
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June						
Total area						
Area of holding	ha	-	-	-	-	128 255.2
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-	-	-	23 229.5
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-	-	-	71.5
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-	-	-	81.0
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-	-	-	89.4
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-	-	-	7 416.3
Total number						
Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-	-	-	478 431
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-	-	-	165
Meat cattle	no.	-	-	-	-	13 305
Pigs	no.	-	-	-	-	18 845
ROAD TRAFFIC FATALITIES AND MAJOR INJURIES - year ended 31 December						
Road traffic major injuries	no.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-	-
Road traffic injuries	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.

* Agricultural commodities data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS cat no. 7125.0

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Table 4: Environment/Energy

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
LAND AREA						
Land area	km^2	-	-	-	-	1 667.7

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